RAJYA SABHA

Thursday, the 21st December, 1989/30th Agrahayana, 1911 (Saka)

The House met at eleven of the clock, Mr. Chairman in the Chair.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

I. Reports (for the period from 1st January, 1988 to 31st March, 1989) on the working and activities of some Banks and related papers

II. Results of the Nineteenth Valuation (for the year ended 31st March, 1989) of Life Insurance Corporation of India, New Delhi

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (PROF. MADHU DANDAVATE): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table:—

I. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the Annual Reports on the working and activities of the following Banks, for the period from 1st January, 1988 to 31st March, 1989, together with the Accounts and the Auditors' Reports thereon, under sub-section (8) of section 10 of the Banking Companies (Acquisition and Transfer of Undertakings) Act, 1970:

(i) Bank of Baroda [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—5.89]

(ii) Allahabad Bank [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—6|89]

(iii) UCO Bank [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—7|89]

II. A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Results of the Nineteenth Valuation of the Life Insurance Corporation of India, New Delhi, for the year ended the 31st March, 1989 [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—11|89]

ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING DIVISION ON THE CONSTTUTION 62ND AMENDMENT BILL, 1989.

MR. CHAIRMAN: I have to inform Members that the division on the Constitution 62nd Amendment Bill 1989 will take place around 4.00 P.M. today, Special Mentions, Shri Kapil Verma.

SPECIAL MENTIONS

SHRI SUBRAMANIAN SWAMY (Uttar Pradesh): Sir, I am on a point of order. The matters in Sri Lanka are getting worse everyday and the Government has not made a statement. We are learning from the press or it looks as if the LTTE has become the spokesman of the new Government in India. They are speaking on their behalf. So I would like the Government to make a statement.

MR. CHAIRMAN: There is no point of order. (*Interruptions*)

SHRI SUBRAMANIAN SWAMY: Sir, it is a point of order.

(*Interruptions*)

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY (Pondicherry): Sir, the Government is not coming out with a statement on the recent situation there. We would like to know about it because the Government is making dialogue with the LTTE. What is the outcome of this talk? We do not know.

SHRI DIPEN GHOSH (West Bengal): Sir, they will get enough opportunity for debating on these things on the President's Address. (*Interruptions*)

SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Sir, is he a Minister? (*Interruptions*) In President's Address, we can raise so many issues. We would like to know the presen minority Government's stand. (*Interruptions*)

डा० रत्नाकर पाण्डेय: (उत्तर प्रदेश) : माननीय सभापति जी, कल हमारे सदन के एक माननीय सदस्य ने राष्ट्रपति के अभिभाषण के संदर्भ में मंडल आयोग की रिपोर्ट के संदर्भ में कुछ आब्जेक्शन उठाया था और यह सरकार स्वायत्तता की बात करती है दूरदर्शन और टी० वी० पर और कल दर्शकों ने देखा कि राम अवधेश सिंह जिन्होंने राष्ट्रपति के अभिभाषण का वायकाट किया था उनका नाम न आया और न चित्र आया और यह